No. R. 999—Ft. 35-06-5, dated 7th August 1907.

The Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore are pleased to declare, under the provisions of Section 4 of the Mysore Forest Regulation (XI of 1900), that it is proposed to constitute the area, the boundaries of which are described in the schedule below, a State Forest, under the provisions of the said Regulation :—

SCHEDULE.

District	Taluk	Approximate area	Name of block	Situation and boundaries
Shimoga.	Shimoga and Honnali Taluks.	4,520 acres and 26 guntas or 7 square miles, 40 acres and 26 guntas.	Harmaghatta.	*Situation*—A strip of district jungle west of the 12th mile of the Shimoga-Honnali road.

Boundaries.

North.—Starting from the angle in the boundary between Palavanahalli and Chatnahalli about a furlong to the north-west of Chatnahalli-Musenhal cart-track, the line runs south-east for 46 chains along the southern boundary of Survey No. 6 of Palavanahalli and through Survey No. 7 of the same village to the south-west corner of Survey No. 10 of the same village; then south-east for 88 chains through Survey Nos. 8 of Palavanahalli and 41 of Daserhatti to the south-west corner of Survey No. 40 of the latter village; then in the same direction for 82 chains through Survey Nos. 41 of Daserhatti and 8 of Kallukatte to the south-east corner of Survey No. 7 of the latter village; then in the same direction for 30 chains along the southern boundary of Survey No. 89 of Kunkuva to its south-east corner; then north-east for 63 chains along the eastern boundary of Survey Nos. 89 and 88 of Kunkuva and through Survey No. 80 of the same village to the south-west corner of Survey No. 79 of the same village; then south-east for 75 chains through Survey Nos. 80 of Kunkuva and 7 of Kugonhalli to the southern corner of Survey No. 51 of Gadikatte; then in the same direction for 115 chains through Survey Nos. 50 of Gadikatte and 62 of Dodderi to the south-west corner of Survey No. 58 of the latter village; then south-east for 81 chains through Survey No. 62 of Dodderi to the south-western corner of Survey No. 2 of Akkatangira Katte; then south-west for 30 chains through Survey No. 1 of Akkatangira Katte to the tri-junction bandhs of Akkatangira Katte, Inam Gopagondanahalli and Holalur; thennorth-east for 17 chains along the boundary between Holalur and Gopagondanahalli to the tri-junction bandhs of Gopagondanahalli, Holalur and Madikechelur; then south-east for 80 chains through Survey No. 75 of Madikechelur to the south-west corner of Survey No. 79 of the same village; then east for 8 chains along the southern boundary of Survey No. 79 of Madikechelur to its south-east corner on Shimoga-Honnali road.

East.—Thence in a southerly direction for 32 chains along the Shimoga-Honnali road to the south-east corner of Survey No. 102 of Holalur.

South.—Thence north-west for 12 chains to the north-east corner of Survey No. 102 of Holalur; then north-west for 48 chains through Survey No. 47 of Holalur to the north-west corner of Survey No. 53 of the same village; then north-west for 45 chains through Survey No. 52 of Holalur to the north-east corner of Survey No. 48 of the same village; then west for 155 chains through Survey Nos. 46 of Holalur and 41 of Hannagatta and along the northern sides of Survey Nos. 39, 38 and 35 of the same village and again through Survey No. 34 of Hannagatta to the northmost corner of Survey No. 33 of the same village; then in the same direction for 110 chains through Survey Nos. 16 of Hannagatta and 43 and 42 of Suttukote to the north-east corner of Survey No. 41 of the same village; then north-west for 102 chains through Survey Nos. 42 of Suttukote and 41 of Musenhal to the north-east corner of Survey No. 1 of the latter village; then north-west for 96 chains through Survey No. 41 of Musenhal to the north-west corner of Survey No. 22 of the same village.

West.—Thence in a northerly direction for 79 chains through Survey Nos. 41 of Musenhal and 83 of Chatnahalli to the north-eastern corner of Survey No. 52 of the same village; then in the same direction for 49 chains through Survey No. 83 of Chatnahalli and along the boundary between Palavanahalli and Chatnahalli to the starting point.

2. The Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore are further pleased, under clause (*c*) of the said section, to appoint Mr. M. Shama Rao, M.A., Registrar, of Co-operative Societies, to be the Forest Settlement Officer, who shall inquire into and determine the existence, nature and extent of any rights claimed by, or alleged to exist in favor of, any person in or over land comprised within such limits, or to any forest produce of such land, and to deal with the same as provided in Chapter II of the said Regulation, and the District Forest Officer of the Shimoga District, for the time being, to attend on behalf of Government to assist the Forest Settlement Officer in the inquiry.

3. The Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore are further pleased, under the authority vested in them by Section 15 of the said Regulation, to appoint the Deputy Commissioner of the Shimoga District, for the time being, to be the officer of the Revenue Department who shall hear appeals from the orders of the Forest Settlement Officer under Sections 10, 11, 12, 13 or 14, of the Regulation.